

CHAPTER I

INTRODUCTION

A. Background of the Study

Braveness is an act to do something which gives some bad possibilities to protect our self and other peoples from crimes. The peoples who have braveness will act with a wisdom without feelings of scare and they will take risk which is actually only an hallucination. Peoples who have braveness are able to animate and can change their personalities and the other people's personalities which are surrounding it. Only our self that can measure whether our braveness is big enough or not. In the outline, braveness is influenced three cases, they are vision, action, and passion. These cases are able to overcome feeling of worry and scare. It also abridges us to reach dreams. People must have braveness to left out the scare which often appears in our heart. Braveness in taking risk is your first step to achieve success which you are dreaming.

Self defense is an act to protect our self from the crimes that can make us hurt and threatened. There are two factors in self defense, first, every people has right to get safety, so it is also right in law that peoples who get crimes' act can fight against it. Second, peoples have right to absolve

themselves from crimes' act such as murdering and attacking which physically can hurt.

Crime is an act which is immoral and prejudicial. Can make uproar and unrest fullness in particular society. Because of this reason, people in particular society have right to fight and say war against it. Crimes is such kind of anti-social act which is clearly banned by every states, therefore every people who is proved too powerful doing crime can be given punishment

Breck Eisner currently works as a director of film and television. In October 2005, it was announced that Eisner would direct a remake of the classic monster movie *Creature from the Black Lagoon* which was dropped in 2009 for unnamed reasons, and in February 2008 it was announced that he would direct *The Crazies*, a remake of the film of the same name, released in 2010. In December 2009, it was announced that he will direct the remakes of *Flash Gordon* and *The Brood*, though he later backed out of the latter. He is rumored to direct the remake of *Escape from New York*. Eisner is set to direct the film adaptation of the Mark Wheatley comic book *Blood of the Innocent*. He is in talk to direct movie adaption of the Hasbro board game *Ouija*.

The Crazies movie is a 2010 American horror film directed by Breck Eisner. Written by Scott Kosar and Ray Wright, the film is a remake of the 1973 film of the same name by George A. Romero, who is also the executive

producer and co-writer of the remake. The Crazies stars Timothy Olyphant and Radha Mitchell. The film takes place in the fictional town of Ogden Marsh, Pierce County, Iowa, "friendliest place on Earth," whose town water supply is accidentally infected with the "Trixie" virus. After an incubation period of 48 hours, this virus gradually transforms the mental state of the infected into that of cold, calculating, depraved, bloodthirsty killers, who then prey on family and neighbors alike. The film was released on February 26, 2010 to largely positive reviews from critics, and was a box office success both domestically and internationally.

The Crazies movie is a movie which most of the screenplays describe braveness as self-defense. Such as In the town of Ogden Marsh, Iowa, David (Timothy Olyphant), the local sheriff enjoys a baseball game. His deputy, Russell (Joe Anderson), spots Rory Hamill, a local resident, entering the outfield holding a shotgun. David is forced to shoot and kill the unresponsive Rory. David and his wife Judy (Radha Mitchell), the community doctor, begin to notice other town residents exhibiting bizarre behavior, including listlessness and repetitive speech. The next night, a local farmer burns his house down with his wife and son trapped inside, killing them.

While investigating the discovery of a pilot's body in a swamp, David and Russell discover a military aircraft submerged under the water. Soon after, communication services are lost in town, and soldiers arrive to

take all residents to quarantine at the high school. Everyone is examined for symptoms of infection. Judy does not pass the examination and is separated from David. She explains her fever is due to pregnancy, but is sedated anyway. She wakes strapped to a gurney as the perimeter of the facility is breached by the infected town's people in an effort to escape. The military personnel evacuate, abandoning Judy and the other civilians. David is nearing evacuation, but escapes and rejoins Russell. They rescue Judy and her hospital assistant, Becca (Danielle Panabaker).

David, Judy, Russell, and Becca make their way out of town on foot, unable to find a working vehicle. They encounter Becca's boyfriend, Scotty, when they pass through his farm. Soldiers raid the farm, shoot Scotty and his mother, and burn the bodies. They learn that the soldiers have been ordered to shoot all civilians who have potentially been exposed. The group repairs a patrol car, and, once on the road, is spotted by an attack helicopter and drive into a car wash for cover. Infected attack and kill Becca, and the helicopter destroys the car. On foot, Russell disables a passing government SUV with a police spike strip. The driver, presumably a government agent, reveals the cargo plane contained "Trixie," a "Rhabdoviridae prototype" biological weapon. Enraged, Russell shoots the driver and threatens Judy and David. When confronted about his behavior, Russell realizes he is infected and, after

being disarmed, begs to go on with Judy and David. He later dies while distracting soldiers at a blockade, so that Judy and David can sneak past.

David and Judy arrive at a truck stop to search for a vehicle, discovering the military also executed those who were evacuated. Fending off infected, they escape in a semi truck. Ogden Marsh is destroyed in a massive explosion as they flee, and their truck flips in the passing shockwave. As the couple walk towards Cedar Rapids, a view from a military satellite highlights first the couple, then the city, and the words "Initiate containment protocol" appear, signifying a new containment attempt.

In the credits, a news clip is shown in which the newscaster Bruce Aune of KCRG-TV 9 News reports that an explosion originating from the DakonPendrill chemical plant started a massive fire in Ogden Marsh, "with eyewitness reports of a 400-foot fireball that lit up the sky." He goes on to report a second explosion at a nearby truck fueling station, alluding to the truck stop. He says a perimeter has been set and civilians are not being allowed into the area. After that, the news clip cuts to a soldier with his rifle brandished, then to a snarling crazy, and then cuts out completely as the signal is lost

The Crazies movie is interesting to be researched. There are three reasons why this film is interested to be researched. The first reason, the

writer is interested in All characters because most of them are strong, brave and protective people.

The second reason is analyzing all the characters that have braveness in their personalities. Because they had very important role in the plot and give information about psychological phenomena.

The last reason, the writer is interested in the *Crazies* movie because this movie describes that as social human ,people does not forget their disposition as a protector of society, they always protects each others from every crimes that happen in the society.

Based on the reason above, the writer chooses the psychoanalytic approach to analyze the film. So, the writer constructs the title for the research paper .

**BRAVENESS AS SELF DEFENCE ACT AGAINST CRIME
REFLECTED IN *THE CRAZIES* MOVIE (2010) DIRECTED BY
BRECK EISNER: A PSYCHOANALTYIC APPROACH**

B. Literature Review

Crazies movie, directed by Breck Eisner represent a thriller movie, which was released in 2010, but it is very interesting movie to be analyzed because of its structural and substances. As long as the researcher, there is no research which has been conducted the study relates to the movie in

Muhammadiyah University of Surakarta before. Thus, the writer decides to conduct a research on Struggle revenge in *The Crazies* movie (2010): A Psychoanalytic Approach.

C. Problem Statement

The problem that is conducted in this study is how the Braveness of David as Self- defense is reflected in *The Crazies* movie.

D. Limitation of the Study

To carry out the study, the researcher needs to limit the study. The researcher is going to analyze braveness in all characters of *The Crazies* movie, based on psychoanalytic approach.

E. Objective of the Study

1. To analyze the movie based on its structural elements.
2. To analyze the major character of the movie by using the psychoanalytic approach

F. Benefit of the Study

There are two benefits of the study. They are:

1. Theoretical Benefit

This study will give contribution to the large body of knowledge especially in the literary studies on *The Crazies* and improve the

reader's knowledge to understand psychological perspective used in *The Crazies* movie directed by Breck eisner.

2. Practical Benefit

The practical benefit is to fulfill the requirement for Getting Bachelor of Education in English Department of Muhammadiyah University of Surakarta.

G. Research Method

In analyzing *The Crazies* movie, the writer uses qualitative method. The research methods consist of:

1. Type of the Study

The writer uses descriptive qualitative research to analyze the movie that is based on qualitative data.

2. Object of the Study

In the process of conducting research paper, the writer chooses self-defense movie directed by Breck Eisner as an object to be analyzed.

3. Type of the Data and The Data Source

a. Primary Data Source

The primary data source was taken from *The Crazies* movie itself directed by Breck Eisner.

b. Secondary Data Source

The secondary data sources were taken from other sources such as biography of the author, books and internet related to the study.

4. Technique of the Data Collection

The data is collected through documentation or library research.

There are several steps of collecting data are

- a. watching the film repeatedly
- b. reading the script of that film
- c. determining the character that will be analyzed
- d. taking a note of the necessary part in both the primary and secondary data sources
- e. taking notes from the material and some other resources to the movie and the analysis

5. Technique of the Data Analysis

In the study, technique of analyzing data is descriptive analysis by the describing the structure elements and analysis of the major character in movie related with psychoanalytic.

H. Research Paper Organization

The writer organizes this research paper as follow: Chapter I is Introduction. This chapter consists of background of study, previous study, problem statements, objectives of the study, limitation of the study, benefits of the study, research method and research paper organization. Chapter II is underlying theory. This chapter contains notion of psychoanalytic, major principle of psychoanalytic, structural elements of the movie, and theoretical application. Chapter III is Structural Analysis of The Crazies movie. They are the structural elements of The Crazies movie; it consists of character and characterization, plot, point of view, theme, and discussion. Chapter IV is Psychoanalytic Analysis of The Craziesmovie. It consists of id, ego, superego, anxiety and discussion. Chapter V is dealing with conclusion and suggestion. Besides, the last part will be bibliography, virtual references and appendix.